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## PATENT APPLICATION

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Art Unit: 4135

Application No.: 10/580,826

Examiner: Stephanie M. Jennings

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MOLDING BY FORGING

### RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 23, 2009

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 25, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

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**Amendments to the claims are submitted beginning on page 9.**

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